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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2004 on which the shortened statutory period for response expires on June 10, 2004. Accordingly, this Response is being timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims*	-			\$18.00/ \$9.00	\$
Independent					
Claims				\$86.00/ \$42.00	\$
-	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent				
Multiple	Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in				
Dependent	application before amendment add \$280.00 to additional fee				
Claims	(\$140.00 for small entity).				\$
				TOTAL	\$

*Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple

Respectfully submitted, SCHULTE ROTH & ZABEL LLP

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